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 APPLICATION NO. : 10/668,771
 ISSUE DATE : 2/8/2005
 INVENTOR(S) : Schmeichel, et al.

It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

IN THE DESCRIPTION OF THE PRIOR ART

- At Column 1, Line 36, after the word "area" please insert a -- (a period)
- At Column 1, Line 60, delete "th" and insert therefore - - the - -
- At Column 3, Line 32, delete "ba" and insert therefore - -bar - -
- At Column 3, Line 41, after the word "hereof" please insert a - - - (a period)

IN THE DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS

- At Column 11, Line 12, after the word "includes" please delete the word - -the - -
- At Column 11, Line 45, please delete the "/" between "rail contacting"
- At Column 12, Line 13, please delete "damp" and insert therefore - -clamp - -
- At Column 12, Line 16, please delete "damping" and insert therefore - -clamping - -
- At Column 14, Line 21, please delete "and" and insert therefore - -end - -
- At Column 14, Line 23, please delete "dosed" and insert therefore - -closed - -
- At Column 14, Line 32, please delete "cods" and insert therefore - -cords - -
- At Column 15, Line 41, please delete "fort" and insert therefore - -forth - -

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IN THE CLAIMS

At Claim 3, Column 16, Line 26, please delete "fist" and insert therefore - -first- -
 At Claim 9, Column 17, Line 13, please delete "farm" and insert therefore - -from- -
 At Claim 9, Column 17, Line 14, please delete "fist" and insert therefore - -first- -
 At Claim 14, Column 17, Line 40, please delete "on" and insert therefore - -one- -
 At Claim 25, Column 18, Line 45, please delete "pate" and insert therefore - -plate- -
 At Claim 28, Column 19, Line 13, please delete "dosed" and insert therefore - -closed- -
 At Claim 28, Column 19, Line 20, please delete "dosed" and insert therefore - -closed- -
 At Claim 28, Column 19, Line 22, please delete "dosed" and insert therefore - -closed- -
 At Claim 32, Column 19, Line 45, please delete "en" and insert therefore - -an- -
 At Claim 41, Column 20, Line 43, please delete "minor" and insert therefore - -mirror- -
 At Claim 50, Column 21, Line 28, please delete "baking" and insert therefore - -locking- -
 At Claim 52, Column 22, Line 14, please delete "lament" and insert therefore - -element- -

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Consideration has been given your request for the issuance of a certificate of correction for the above-identified patent under the provisions of Rule 1.322.

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